

# EXTEND VOTING TIME IN MASSACHUSETTS

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and Wednesday. Colder  
tonight.

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# OVER 20,000,000 VOTES WILL BE CAST

## RENDEZVOUS OF MOONSHINERS COMBED FREE

### Officers Make Raids and Clean Out Stills In Lowell Mountain

Lowell Mountain, the rendezvous of as desperate a crew of moonshiners as ever operated in the fifty ranges of Kentucky, has been combed free of three stills from which has poured the "mountain dew" retailed in the environs of Albany and Barton for the past two years. Seized in their high perch in the secluded wooded districts, these moonshiners bandits have for weeks eluded the efforts of the authorities to apprehend them.

Acting upon a storm of protest from the law-abiding citizens of Albany and Barton, State Attorney Frank D. Thompson of Barton inaugurated a minute search of the mountain districts of Albany and Barton, calling to his aid Edwin C. Brown, superintendent of the James R. Wood Detective Agency of Boston, and deputy sheriff George E. Jennings of Barton. States Attorney Thompson quietly, several weeks ago began the work which has resulted in the arrest of James Goad and Elmer Rogers of Albany and A. W. Clark of Barton. Goad had been carrying on an illicit distilling business for the past two years. Frank Labounty, who was the tool of Goad, operated in his own house two stills, the moonshine from which was systematically disposed of by the latter. It was Labounty who, with the fear of a prison sentence threatening him, confessed to States Attorney Thompson the story which resulted in the apprehension of the Green Mountain moonshiners.

In the absence of Labounty, who was often engaged in work on his farm, Mrs. Labounty cared for the

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## FINDS AUTO UPSIDE DOWN ON LYNDON ROAD

### W. H. Jeffrey Unable to Solve Mystery of Motor Car Accident

W. H. Jeffrey, state secretary of the board of charities, saw an automobile turned upside down about two miles from Lyndon on the Wheelock road Sunday night when returning from that town. The car was turned turtle and had been forced between the end of a culvert and a tree. The clothing of the occupants was strewn about the place and the tools of the car likewise, while the car was badly damaged. The appearance was that some automobile party following had taken the persons in the car to a hospital.

Although the Ford was upside down the rear light was burning. The car is registered to C. H. Lamphere in Windsor. There was a hat which was apparently bought a day or two before at Silby's store in Lyndonville. No report of the accident had been received at the secretary of state's office Monday morning.

### "Honeymoon Lane" Has Popular Songs

Tickets for the Elks' big musical comedy "Honeymoon Lane" will be in the hands of members of the lodge and the members of the cast tomorrow, and may be exchanged for reserved seats next Monday. "Honeymoon Lane" will be seen at the Lyndonville next week Tuesday and Wednesday.

Two of the leading singing roles have been assigned Miss Lillian Richards and C. Roy Calderwood, and their duet "When Cherry Blossoms Fall" is one of the season's song hits in George M. Cohan's "The Royal Vagabond." Miss Richards has in addition an oriental song and dance entitled "Haidoo," composed by Mr. Philbrook for this production. The costumes for this number are most elaborate, and will be worn by Hazel Levasseur, Mildred Abbott, Olga McClary, Helen May, Natalie Madden and Ruth Giffin.

In Mr. Calderwood's whistling song number "Make a Lot of Noise," he will be accompanied by Eula March, Dorothy Scribner, Beatrice Cassidy, Anna Langley, Charlotte Stiles, Anna Cabell, Arnes MacLean, Mildred Rann, Marie Prevost, Theresa LeGendre, Germaine Prevost, Rhea Gilson, May Bushey and Eleanor Desrocher.

## Special Election Service of the Caledonian-Record

1—A light over Northeastern Vermont. Plane will start at daylight carrying a big red spot on bottom of plane or red banner flying from plane if Cox is elected. Black spot if Cox is winner.  
2—Tuesday night election returns as received exclusively by the Caledonian-Record over the special Associated Press wire will be thrown on a big screen on the Berry-Ball Dry Goods store on Main Street. Mr. A. S. Haskins, the well known optician, will use his stereopticon which is one of the best machines in Vermont. There will be a special musical program including solos by Mrs. Norman McLean from the veranda of the St. Johnsbury House.  
3—Election extras will be published Tuesday night as the news warrants. Wednesday morning a complete election extra will be on sale by the regular dealers and newsboys in Northeastern Vermont.

### POLLS MAY REMAIN OPEN TO 8 O'CLOCK

BOSTON, Nov. 2.—Because of the congestion reported from many places and the large registration, deputy secretary of state, Boynton, announced that he would advise the authorities of every city and town to meet in special session today to extend to 8 p. m. the legal limit of time for keeping polling places open. The secretary of state's office advised also that if prospective voters were still in line at the legal hour of closing a police officer should be stationed at the end of the line and all persons in line be allowed to vote. Election officials estimated at noon that if the voting continues as heavy in the afternoon as in the morning the total would reach 165,000 or 85 per cent of the registration.

### HARDING GETS BIG VOTE IN MASSACHUSETTS TOWN

NORWELL, Mass., Nov. 2.—This Plymouth county town voted as follows: For president, Cox, 48; Harding, 400. For Governor, Cox, Republican, 405; Walsh, Democrat, 20. The same town in 1916 voted: Hughes, Republican, 178; Wilson, Democrat, 107.

The town of Mashpee on Cape Cod gave for president, Cox, 1, Harding, 45; for Governor Cox, Republican 14; Walsh, Democrat 2.

### MASSACHUSETTS TOWN IS FIRST TO REPORT

BOSTON, Nov. 2.—The town of New Ashford in Berkshire county was the first in Massachusetts to report its vote for president today. The tabulation of the vote was completed at 7:30 a. m. and resulted as follows: Harding and Coolidge, republican, 28; Cox and Roosevelt, democratic, 6. Four years ago New Ashford gave Hughes, republican 15, and President Wilson, democratic, 7.

### COLORED WOMEN IN GEORGIA REFUSED BALLOT

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 2.—Negro women were refused ballots at the voting places in Savannah today.

## HEAVY VOTE IS BEING CAST IN ST. JOHNSBURY

St. Johnsbury's 1920 election will go down in local history as a record breaker and a vote of nearly 2,500 is anticipated. The polls opened at six o'clock and at noon 1,500 had cast their seven ballots. The scale works closed from 7 to 9 this morning which accounted in some measure for the heavy forenoon vote, but the women came out in full force and showed unusual interest in the voting.

Several women brought a babe in arms and there were ladies there to hold the infant while the mother exercised for the first time her rights as a citizen. The old argument of the "ant" that the women preferred to stay at home and fry doughnuts was not borne out by today's procedure as over half the 1,414 women whose names were on the check list had voted before 11 o'clock. This fulfills the prediction made in these columns several times that the women were just as interested as the men in our public affairs and would prove it when they got the ballot.

Though there was a continual procession of voters all the morning the rush hour came around 10 o'clock when there were sometimes 40 in line waiting to vote. The clerks and other officials handled the crowd splendidly and were very willing to help any who did not understand the methods of voting. Probably some mistakes were made, but with seven ballots and some split ticket voting that was to be expected. One lady appeared at republican headquarters and asked where she could go to vote the republican ticket. She was promptly escorted to the Town Hall and passed down the line with the rest of the voters.

The republicans had their headquarters at the Y. M. C. A. building and maintained an automobile service throughout the day for all who for various reasons could not walk to the polls. The democrats were also just as active and had a bunch of workers on the job throughout the day.

Following is the list of election officers in charge of the polls today: Town Clerk, Charles Blakey; assistant town clerks, Arthur Sanguet and Preston May; ballot clerks, Beverly Crumey, Jonas Brooks, Albert Lachance, Bernard Johnson, Conrad Beck, Wilbur J. Farr; assistant ballot clerks, Calvin Bond, Herbert E. Bales, Alfred Lavigne, Lena P. Block, Helen Stevens, Clara Prevost, Mrs. Melde Roy, Minnie Dutilleul, Katherine Egan, Frederick Nadeau, Albert Juncu and E. C. Foster.

The first man to vote at the opening of the polls today was D. C. Rogers. The first woman was Mrs. Horner, who was casting her first vote. The Horners were standing in line when the polls opened at 6 o'clock this morning. During the first two hours about 500 persons voted. A record vote was expected.

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## WOMAN'S CLUB HEARS VERMONT AUTHORESS

### Miss Sarah Cleghorn Speaks On Modern Fiction

The November meeting of the St. Johnsbury Woman's Club was held Monday afternoon at three o'clock in Athenaeum Hall.

Miss Sarah Cleghorn, authoress and poetess of Manchester, Vt., was the speaker of the afternoon. Modern Fiction was her subject. She spoke most interestingly of her ideas of what the ideal novel should contain, also comparing the fiction of a hundred years ago with the fiction of today. She also said she was proud to be a Vermonter and told the club of the author's colony in that part of Vermont. She held the closest attention of the club and everyone felt they had had a rare intellectual treat at the end of the lecture.

Tributes were read on the deaths of Mrs. Mary Wilder and Mrs. Augusta Joyce, after which Miss Bertha Silby entertained the members and their friends with two pleasing solos.

A report was given by Mrs. Edward Peterson of the sale of tickets for the lecture course by which the piano fund had amounted to about \$160.

Miss Alvin W. Flint reported the Federation meeting held at Morrisville. Three amendments to the Constitution were voted upon and discussion held upon raising the annual dues and members' tickets also upon changing the day of the monthly meetings. These were held upon the table to be voted on at the next meeting.

These new members were admitted: Mrs. F. M. Bell, Mrs. G. A. Martin, Mrs. C. C. Hitchcock, Mrs. E. E. Church, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mrs. Charles T. Walter, Miss Walter, Mrs. John M. Perham, Mrs. L. A. Birtlow, Miss Mildred Baxter.

### ALL CALEDONIAN-RECORD NEWSBOYS AND DEALERS

You will receive on the night trains out of St. Johnsbury your regular daily shipment of papers in addition to the regular number you receive on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon. Please make arrangements for early morning sale of these Extra Election editions.

## Early Return Indicate Women Are Balloting Nearly Equal To Men In Today's Election

(By The Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Men and women voters of the nation went to the polls today to select a new President for the four years beginning March 4 next. The choice, it is estimated, will be registered by a record vote of between 20,000,000 and 30,000,000 persons, many of whom are women who are voting today for the first time.

Second only in interest to the contest for the presidency is the fight between the two major parties for control of the next congress. Thirty-four United States Senators are being chosen as well as an entire new House of Representatives composed of 435 members.

The present Senate is composed of 47 Democrats 48 Republicans and one Republican and Progressive. Will Hayes and George White, Republican and Democratic national chairmen, respectively, each continued confident of victory when the polls opened.

MONTPELLIER, Nov. 2.—Forenoon balloting under favorable weather conditions indicated a heavy vote throughout Vermont. Normal interest in the national republican ticket was heightened by the fact that Gov. Coolidge of Massachusetts, the vice presidential candidate, is a native of Vermont.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Senator Harding will await the verdict of the electorate at his home in Marion where he will receive news bulletins compiled from figures collected by the A. P. Gov. Cox plans to receive the returns in the office of his newspaper, the Dayton Daily News which is a member of the A. P. and will obtain its full election night service. Gov. Coolidge of Massachusetts, vice presidential nominee will watch the returns at Boston while his democratic opponent, Franklin D. Roosevelt will await the result at his home in Hyde Park, N. Y.

TOPEKA, Kans., Nov. 2.—The first election returns from three city precincts complete gave Harding 54, Cox 81. Later incomplete returns from four precincts gave Harding 109, Cox 90.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 2.—

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## METHODIST CHURCH TO PRESENT SPARKLING FARCE

### More Than 75 Local People In "One Hundred Years" Ago

From the enthusiastic utterances of those in charge it would seem perfectly safe to say that "One Hundred Years Ago," a clever two act farce, to be given at the Colonial Theatre on Friday evening, November 5, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, Grace Unity Club and the Brotherhood of the Grace Methodist Episcopal church, will prove one of the best home talent performances ever presented in St. Johnsbury. Certainly everything possible is being done by the general committee to successfully put the show over and their efforts should be rewarded with excellent results.

Following are the committees in charge:

General Committee: Dr. Dale S. Atwood, chairman; Mrs. E. N. Brough, Mrs. Oscar Cummings, Mrs. Fred Tonn, Miss Florence Hall, and Mrs. E. P. Brown. Property Men, George C. Cowling and Omer Ulich. Advertising Committee, Howard Anderson. Ticket Committee, Donald MacGregor. Costume Committee, Mrs. James A. Impey, Mrs. Perinold W. Turner, Mrs. H. W. Battles and C. H. Boynton.

Mrs. Oscar Cummings is directing the rehearsal for the comedy and everyone knows Mrs. Cummings' ability as a director. She is receiving able assistance from other members

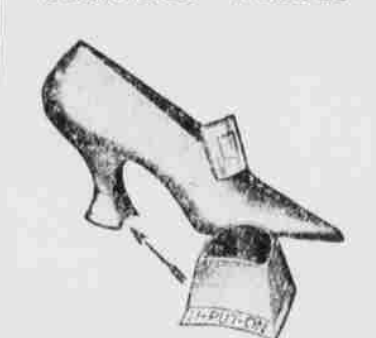
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